

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Fais et al.  
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Art Unit : 1619  
Examiner : Ivan A. Greene  
For : Uses of Proton Pump Inhibitors Alone or in Combination with Other  
Medicaments **(as amended)**  
Docket No. : 113-06  
Customer No. : 23713

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 19, 2011, Applicants respectfully  
request favorable reconsideration of the rejections and entry of the present Amendment.  
This Amendment is accompanied by a Petition for Extension of Time, Request for  
Continued Examination and payment of the necessary fees.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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